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DÉROULEMENT DES TRAVAUX DU CONGRÈS

Le congrès aura lieu du 28 août au 2 septembre 1967 inclusivement au Musée National du Danemark. L'adresse du secrétariat se formule comme suit: *Secrétariat du Congrès International de Numismatique, Cabinet Royal des Médailles, Musée National, Copenhague, Danemark.* Toute correspondance relative au travail scientifique du congrès doit être envoyée à cette adresse.

COMMUNICATIONS

Comme l'indique le programme ci-joint, il se tiendra quatre sessions générales et un certain nombre de sessions réservées à la présentation des communications mineures. Les sessions générales mises à part, il sera accordé au maximum 20 minutes de parole à chaque conférencier, et chaque conférencier est instamment prié de respecter cette limitation de temps. Il lui est loisible d'en disposer de telle sorte qu'il reste du temps pour une discussion.

Les travaux du congrès *ne seront pas publiés*, les communications pourront l'être dans les périodiques suivantes:

Hamburger Beiträge zur Numismatik
Museum für Hamburgische Geschichte, Abteilung Münzkabinett,
Hamburg 36, Holstenwall 24, Allemagne (BRD).

Museum Notes of the American Numismatic Society
Broadway at 156th Street, New York 10032, N. Y., États-Unis.

Nordisk Numismatisk Årsskrift, c/o
Kungl. Vitterhetsakademien, Storgatan 41, Stockholm Ö, Suède
(contributions scandinaves seulement).

Numismatic Chronicle, c/o
Department of Coins and Medals, British Museum, London W.C. 1.
ou Heberden Coin Room, Ashmolean Museum, Oxford, Angleterre.

Revue numismatique, c/o

Cabinet des Médailles, Rue de Richelieu 58, Paris², France.

Revue suisse de numismatique

Dr. L. Mildenberg, Postfach 553, 8022 Zürich, Suisse

(contributions médiévales seulement).

Si les conférenciers lui envoient au plus tard pour le 1^{er} août 1967 un bref résumé de leur intervention, le secrétariat pourra le faire photocopier et, s'ils le désirent, le faire distribuer avant qu'ils ne donnent leur communication.

EXPOSITIONS

A l'occasion du congrès, une exposition sera organisée au Musée National sur le thème: La numismatique danoise dans ses rapports avec celle des autres pays. On organisera aussi une exposition de littérature numismatique récente. Les maisons d'édition, les associations de numismatique et toute autre qui désirent prendre part à cette exposition sont priées de le faire savoir au secrétariat du congrès, en indiquant quelles publications elles souhaitent exposer. Les frais d'envoi et de renvoi des livres sont à la charge des exposants. Les livres doivent parvenir au secrétariat au plus tard le 20 août 1967.

PROGRAMME

LUNDI 28 AOÛT 1967

10⁰⁰ SÉANCE D'OUVERTURE

Allocutions par: Le Président de la Commission Internationale de Numismatique, M. C. H. V. Sutherland, Le Ministre des Affaires Culturelles, Madame Bodil Koch et Le Directeur du Musée National de Copenhague, M. P. V. Glob.

11⁰⁰ Ouverture de l'exposition DANMARKS MØNT, MONNÆIES DE DANEMARK. Musée National, Salle de conférences A.

COMMUNICATIONS MINEURES

Section A. Président: M. Paul Naster, Belgique. Musée National, Salle de conférences A.

- 14⁰⁰ Mlle Condamin, MM. Guey et Picon, France: *Métallurgie des monnaies antiques. Problèmes anciens et nouveaux à la lumière des recherches récentes du Laboratoire de Lyon (France)*.
- 15⁰⁰ Mme Miriam S. Balmuth, États-Unis: *The Khaniala Tekke Hoard: An Anticipation of Coinage*.
- 15³⁰ M. Derek F. Allen, Angleterre: *The Sark Hoard of Celtic Coins and Phalerae*.
- 16⁰⁰ M. Andrea Pautasso, Italie: *Les trouvailles monétaires boïennes (celtiques) en Italie*.
- 16³⁰ M. Karel Castelin, Tchécoslovaquie: *Zum keltischen Münzrecht in Böhmen*.
- 17⁰⁰ M. Th. Gerassimov, Bulgarie: *Barbarische Münzen aus Bulgarien*.
- 17³⁰ Mme M. Oeconomides-Caramessini, Grèce: *Certaines pièces rares récemment acquises par le Cabinet des Médailles d'Athènes*.

Section B. Président: M. George C. Miles, États-Unis.
Musée National, Salle de conférences B.

- 15⁰⁰ M. Paul Balog, Italie: *The Weight of the Ratl*.
- 15³⁰ Mme Ulla S. Linder Welin, Suède: *A new Samanid mint in the Viking age hoard from Tingstäde, Gotland*.
- 16⁰⁰ M. Josef Rosen, Suisse: *Wirtschaftliche Aussagen auf Münzen*.
- 16³⁰ M. S. A. M. Le Loux, Pays-Bas: *Contrefaçons et falsifications modernes en monnaies d'or et d'argent*.
- 17⁰⁰ M. Eric P. Newman, États-Unis: *Perfection in Forgery*.
- 20⁰⁰ RÉCEPTION sur invitation du Ministère des Affaires Culturelles, Université de Copenhague. Salle du banquet.

MARDI 29 AOÛT 1967

SESSION GÉNÉRALE. Président: Mlle Margaret Thompson, États-Unis.
Musée National, Salle de conférences A.

- 10⁰⁰ M. G. Le Rider, France: *La datation des monnaies crétoises frappées du V^e siècle au début du III^e siècle avant notre ère.*
- 13⁴⁵ Visite à la Manufacture royale de Porcelaine de Copenhague, visite qui se terminera par un goûter à l'auberge de Søllerød. Départ du Musée National, Ny Vestergade 11.
(Seulement sur inscription).

COMMUNICATIONS MINEURES

Section A. Président: M. Colin M. Kraay, Angleterre.
Musée National, Salle de conférences A.

- 14⁰⁰ Mme Edith Schönerdt-Geiss, Allemagne (DDR): *Die wirtschaftlichen Beziehungen zwischen Griechenland und der nördlichen Schwarzmeerküste im Spiegel der Münzfunde.*
- 14³⁰ M. V. Clain-Stefanelli, États-Unis: *The Ancient Gold Coinage of Kallatis.*
- 15⁰⁰ M. Efreim Pegan, Yougo-Slavie: *Die frühesten Tetradrachmen Alexanders des Grossen mit dem Adler, ihre Herkunft und Entstehungszeit.*
- 15³⁰ M. Bucur Mitrea, Roumanie: *Tétrastatères d'or de Lysimaque, roi de Thrace.*
- 16⁰⁰ Mlle Margaret Thompson, États-Unis: *Achaean League Coinage.*
- 16³⁰ M. Paul Naster, Belgique: *Les monnaies d'Edesse et la civilisation parthe.*
- 17⁰⁰ Mme Aleksandra Krzyzanowska, Pologne: *Les influences réciproques romaines et indigènes manifestées sur les monnaies des colonies romaines de l'Asie Mineure.*

Section B. Président: M. Jean Lafaurie, France.

Musée National, Salle de conférences B.

- 14⁰⁰ M. Peter Berghaus, Allemagne (BRD): *Die silbernen Schmuckbrakteaten in den Schatzfunden der Wikingerzeit.*
- 14³⁰ M. Eduard Polívka, Tchécoslovaquie: *Zwei interessante böhmische Denare aus dem X. Jahrhundert.*
- 15⁰⁰ M. Stanislaw Suchodolski, Pologne: *Les commencements du monnayage en Pologne aux X-XI siècles.*
- 15³⁰ M. Antonio Bertino, Italie: *Il Ducale dell'investitura di Ruggiero II.*
- 16⁰⁰ M. Jacques Yvon, France: *Les Monnaies de bronze du Comté d'Edesse et de la principauté d'Antioche.*
- 16³⁰ M. Ryszard Kiersnowski, Pologne: *La réforme monétaire du XIV^e siècle en Pologne et dans les pays limitrophes.*

MERCREDI 30 AOÛT 1967

SESSION GÉNÉRALE. Président: Mlle Laura Breglia, Italie.

Musée National, Salle de conférences A.

- 10⁰⁰ M. Konrad Kraft, Allemagne (BRD): *Zur Interpretation der Münzprägung des Augustus.*
- 16⁰⁰ RÉCEPTION à l'Hôtel de Ville sur invitation du conseil municipal de Copenhague.

DISCUSSION sur des problèmes internationaux de Numismatique.

Président: M. C. H. V. Sutherland, Angleterre.

Musée National, Salle de conférences A.

Les thèmes suivants sont proposés pour discussion:

- 20⁰⁰ 1. A new edition of a bibliography of Greek coin-hoards (Colin M. Kraay, Angleterre et Otto Mørkholm, Danemark).
- 20³⁰ 2. Organisation internationale de la publication de Sylloge Nummorum Graecorum (M. Paul Naster, Belgique).

- 21⁰⁰ 3. Numismatic Literature (M. G. C. Miles, États-Unis).
- 21³⁰ 4. Collaboration internationale sur l'exploitation scientifique des trésors pré-monétaires (Mlle Laura Breglia, Italie).
- 22⁰⁰ 5. Organization of the systematic study of ancient city-coinages of the Roman Empire (M. E. W. Klimowsky, Israël).

JEUDI 31 AOÛT 1967

SESSION GÉNÉRALE. Président: M. Colin Martin, Suisse.
Musée National, Salle de conférences A.

- 10⁰⁰ M. Philip Grierson, Angleterre: *Problems of Mint Output*.

COMMUNICATIONS MINEURES

Section A. Président: M. Rudi Thomsen, Danemark.
Musée National, Salle de conférences A.

- 14⁰⁰ M. Patrick Bruun, Finlande: *The Augustan Moneyers – a propaganda drive?*
- 14³⁰ M. Theodore V. Buttrey, États-Unis: *Halved Coins and the Augustan Reform*.
- 15⁰⁰ M. C. H. V. Sutherland, Angleterre: *Augustan Cistophori*.
- 15³⁰ M. E. W. Klimowsky, Israël: *Roman Imperial Virtues on contemporaneous city coins*.
- 16⁰⁰ M. Baruch Kanael, Israël: *Various aspects of the seven branched candlestick and table of Shew bread series of Mattathias Antigonus 40–37 B.C.*
- 16³⁰ M. Aric Kindler, Israël: *The coin-issues of the Roman administration in Palestine during the reign of Domitian*.
- 17⁰⁰ M. Leo Mildenberg, Suisse: *HEBRON 2, ein Fundbericht zur Münzprägung des Bar Kockba-Krieges*.

Section B. Président: M. Walter Hävernack, Allemagne (BRD).
Musée National, Salle de conférences B.

- 14⁰⁰ M. Dietrich Schwarz, Suisse: *Das Aufkommen von Wertbezeichnungen auf europäischen Münzen des Spätmittelalters.*
14³⁰ M. R. H. M. Dolley, Angleterre: *Recent Work on Anglo-Irish Coins about 1200-1600.*
15⁰⁰ M. Hans Ulrich Geiger, Suisse: *Entstehung und Ausbreitung des Batzens.*
15³⁰ M. P. Spufford, Angleterre: *The Profits of Coinage and Royal Finances in the Middle Ages.*
16⁰⁰ M. Jiri Sejbal, Tchécoslovaquie: *Die mährischen Gegenstempelungen der böhmischen Prager-Groschen.*

VENDREDI 1 SEPTEMBRE 1967

- 10³⁰ Déjeuner sur invitation à la brasserie CARLSBERG.
Départ en autobus du Musée National, Ny Vestergade 11.
(Seulement sur inscription).

COMMUNICATIONS MINEURES

Section A. Président: M. J. C. P. Kent, Angleterre.
Musée National, Salle de conférences A.

- 15⁰⁰ Mme Bluma L. Trell, États-Unis: *Architectura Numismatica of the Roman Empire.*
15³⁰ M. Pierre Bastien, France: *Dévaluation du sesterce au cours des 2. et 3. siècles et réforme de Postume.*
16⁰⁰ M. Giacomo Mangano, Italie: *Un tesoro di monete dei Tetrici in Sicilia.*
16³⁰ M. Aleksander Jeločnik, Yougo-Slavie: *Les multiples d'or de Magnence découverts à Emona.*
17⁰⁰ Mlle Joan M. Fagerlie, États-Unis: *Solidi in the name of Anastasius.*
17³⁰ Mlle Jacqueline Lallemand, Belgique: *Les trouvailles de monnaies romaines en Belgique.*

- 18⁰⁰ M. Pierre Salania, Algérie: *Un trésor de radiés barbares à Sabrathe de Tripolitaine.*

Section B. Président: M. Bernhard Koch, Autriche.
Musée National, Salle de conférences B.

- 15⁰⁰ M. Lubomir Nemeškal, Tchécoslovaquie: *Joachimstaler in den Anfängen der europäischen Talerprägung.*
15³⁰ M. H. Eichhorn, Allemagne (BRD): *Neue wissenschaftliche Methoden der Geldgeschichte, erläutert an Beispiele Frankens im 16. Jh.*
16⁰⁰ M. Z. Duksa, U. R. S. S.: *Schwedische und dänische Münzfunde auf dem Territorium der Litauischen Republik.*
16³⁰ M. J. Weschke, Allemagne (BRD): *Der Einfluss der Banken auf die deutsche Münzprägung des 17. und 18. Jhs.*
17⁰⁰ M. E. Nathorst-Böös, Suède: *Only Paper – On the present standpoint of Bank Note research.*

SAMEDI 2 SEPTEMBRE 1967

SESSION GÉNÉRALE. Président: M. Nils Ludvig Rasmusson, Suède.
Musée National, Salle de conférences A.

- 10⁰⁰ Mme E. Nohejlová-Prátová, Tchécoslovaquie: *Numismatische Beiträge zum Studium der Preise und Löhne.*

- 13³⁰ SESSION DE LA COMMISSION INTERNATIONALE DE NUMISMATIQUE.
Musée National, Salle de conférences A.
(Seulement pour les délégués des membres-institutions et les membres honoraires de la Commission).

- 16⁰⁰ SÉANCE DE CLÔTURE.
Musée National, Salle de conférences A.

DIMANCHE 3 SEPTEMBRE 1967

EXCURSION aux châteaux du Nord de Seeland.

- 10⁰⁰ Départ en autobus du Musée National, Ny Vestergade 11.
(Seulement sur inscription).

RENSEIGNEMENTS DIVERS

La direction des musées suivants a eu la bienveillance d'accorder l'entrée libre aux congressistes porteurs de l'insigne du congrès:

Le musée de la Ville de Copenhague (Københavns Bymuseum)

La Glyptothèque Ny-Carlsberg (Ny Carlsberg Glyptotek)

Le château de Rosenborg (Rosenborg slot)

Le musée Thorvaldsen (Thorvaldsens museum).

A l'occasion du Festival de Musique et de Ballet, qui se tient à Copenhague au moment de notre Congrès, le *Théâtre royal* a monté quelques spectacles de ballet. Un nombre limité de billets sont émis, pour le *jeudi 31 août*, à trois ballets:

Sylfde, Pas de Deux de Don Quichotte, Graduation Ball.

Les personnes qui désirent s'y rendre s'adresseront au secrétariat du Congrès au plus tard le lundi 28 août. Droit d'entrée: de 18 à 35 cour. dan.

AVIS IMPORTANT

Les congressistes sont priés de s'adresser, à leur arrivée à Copenhague, au secrétariat du Congrès:

Cabinet Royal des Médailles, Musée National

(Den kongelige Mønt- og Medaillesamling, Nationalmuseet)

Frederiksholms Kanal 12,

qui se tiendra à leur disposition le samedi 26 et le dimanche 27 août 1967 de 10 h à 17 h, ainsi que du 28 août au 2 septembre chaque jour de 9 h à 17,30 h.

Les modifications éventuelles au programme y seront affichées.

Le bureau mondial de voyages WAGONS-LITS // COOK, Vesterbrogade 2, a été désigné comme agent officiel du Congrès et vous donnera tous renseignements concernant logement et excursions.



CENTRE DE COPENHAGUE

1. Musée National
2. Université de Copenhague
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4. Bureau mondial de voyages Wagons-Lits// Cook
5. Banque du congrès
6. Bureau de poste
7. Ny Carlsberg Glyptotek
8. Musée Thorvaldsen

1. Premier étage: Salle de conférences A
2. Premier étage: Salle de conférences B
3. Rez-de-chaussée: Secrétariat du congrès
4. Premier étage: Cabinet Royal des Médailles
5. Premier étage: Exposition des livres
6. Sous-sol: Exposition numismatique

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INTERNATIONAL NUMISMATIC CONGRESS 1973

ORGANIZING COMMITTEE MEETING

JULY 11, 1969

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Committee members present were Miss Thompson, Chairman; Messrs. Howland, Ingholt, Norweb; Buttrey, Secretary. Messrs. Elam, Miles, Mörkholm attended by invitation. Messrs. Clain-Stefanelli, Maull, Milbank were unable to meet with the group.

Miss Thompson reported on the April meeting of the Bureau in Paris, at which the following decisions were taken:

- (1) The proposed calendar and list of activities for the 1973 meeting were approved.
- (2) It was felt that subsidies for younger scholars should take precedence over the publication of the Survey of Numismatic Research, if funds are insufficient for both.
- (3) Local societies abroad will help with the screening of applicants for subsidies.

Miss Thompson announced that the ACLS has allotted \$20,000 for the Congress. Up to 20% of this amount can be used for organizing and the remainder for travel subsidies. The sum is considered "seed money", to encourage others to assist in financing the Congress; the ACLS would be happy to get some back.

Mr. Howland reported that Evergreen House will contribute \$1,000 to the expenses of the Congress in addition to providing a luncheon for the delegates.

The publications of the Congress are to be handled as follows:

- (1) The Survey of Numismatic Research is to be edited and printed through the ANS. Divisional editors and authors need soon to be selected.
- (2) The exhibition catalogue, e.g. "Coinage of the Americas", will be edited and printed through the Smithsonian Institution.

In each case priorities will be set later depending on the funds available for publication. It is anticipated that advertising will be solicited to help bear the costs.

The exhibitions upon which the catalogue will be based are to be divided between the two sponsoring institutions: Smithsonian, United States coinage; ANS, colonial and Latin American coinages.

Miss Thompson stressed the need for a strenuous fund-raising campaign this autumn and winter to see whether or not we can undertake the publication program outlined above. The spring of 1970 is none too early to begin lining up editors and contributors for the volumes of numismatic research. Members of the committee agreed to solicit as follows:

Mr. Buttrey will approach the Fairfield Fdtn., the Asia Fdtn., the Watumull Fdtn. and the J. L. Hudson Co.

Mr. Howland will approach the Old Dominion Fdtn., the Rockefeller Bros. Fdtn., and the J. D. Rockefeller 3rd Fund. He will also write to the presidents of several banks in Lima in an effort to interest them in subsidizing the exhibit and catalogue of Latin American coinages.

Mr. Ingholt will request a contribution from Yale University, a member of the International Numismatic Commission.

Mr. Norweb will undertake to raise \$5,000 by solicitation of individuals.

Miss Thompson will approach the Littauer Fdtn., UNESCO and the International Association of Professional Numismatists. She will confer with Mr. Milbank on the possibility of a general appeal for small sums from the membership of the ANS. She will also consult with Mr. Newman about help from the ANA and the CNA.

Hope was expressed that other members of Council would agree to solicit funds from foundations and business organizations with which they have associations, since success is so largely dependent on personal contacts. A summary of pertinent facts about the Congress and the reasons for supporting it will be prepared by Miss Thompson as an aid for solicitors.

It was decided that preliminary announcements of the Congress should soon be given to the numismatic publications, U.S. (and foreign?)

Mr. Norweb suggested the striking of a medal for the occasion.

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FINANCIAL SUPPORT FROM ORGANIZATIONS FOR
MODERN LANGUAGE AND ORIENTAL CONGRESSES

(Amounts known only for ML Congress: an asterisk
indicates support for both meetings)

FOUNDATIONS

* ACLS	\$50,000
Farfield Fdtn.	652
Lucius Littauer Fdtn.	2,000
* Asia Fdtn.	649
New York Fdtn.	2,500
* Old Dominion Fdtn.	5,000
Rockefeller Bros. Fdtn.	10,000
J. D. Rockefeller 3rd Fund	
Watumull Fdtn.	

BUSINESS AND OTHER INSTITUTIONS

Burroughs Corp.	
Cleveland Museum of Art	
Corning Glass Works Fdtn.	2,500
First Natl. City Bank, N. Y.	1,000
Ex-Cell-O Corp.	
Ford Motor Co. Fund	
* General Motors Corp.	2,000
Harcourt, Brace & World, Inc.	2,500
J. L. Hudson Co.	
International Nickel	1,000
IBM World Trade Corp.	2,600
R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Co.	1,500
Singer Co. Fdtn.	1,000
Standard Oil of New Jersey	2,500
U. S. Steel Fdtn.	3,000
Westinghouse Electric Co.	500
Woodall Industries Inc.	
Xerox Corp.	

The following foundations refused support for the ML Congress:

Avalon Fdtn.	New World Fdtn.
Gulbenkian Fdtn.	Twentieth Century Fund
James Fdtn.	Victorian Fdtn.

FINANCIAL SUPPORT FOR 1973 NUMISMATIC CONGRESS

(July 11, 1969)

FOUNDATIONS

ACLS \$20,000

OTHER

Cornelius Vermeule 100

Possibilities in addition to those listed on first sheet:

ANA

CNA

Coin World and other periodicals (contributions or advertising)

Other banks: Chase Manhattan, Bank of Detroit, Marine Midland

ANS membership (general appeal for small sums)

Evergreen House

Yale

UNESCO

Individual contributions from ANS Council members and others

PROPOSED TIME-SCHEDULE

NUMISMATIC CONGRESS, SEPTEMBER 10-17, 1973

Autumn-Winter 1969/70	Strenuous efforts to secure an additional \$25,000, in cash and pledges, to insure our being able to undertake publications as well as subsidies to delegates.
Spring 1970	If enough money is forthcoming for publications, establishment of editorial board for <u>Numismatic Research</u> volumes and selection of contributors. Deadline of September 1, 1972 for manuscripts. Honorary Committee for Congress chosen.
February 1972	First circular sent to members CIN to elicit information on attendance. Invitations to distinguished lecturers. Decisions on special exhibits in New York and Washington and catalogue started.
Sept. -Nov. 1972	Manuscripts for <u>Num. Research</u> edited and sent to printer. Catalogue for special exhibits to printer.
November 1972	Second circular sent out, with deadline of April 30 for enrollment. Arrangements for travel and accommodations placed in hands of travel agency.
Jan. -Feb. 1973	First proofs of catalogue and <u>Num. Research</u> back from printer.
April 1973	Second proofs of two publications.
June 1973	Printing finished. Exhibits mounted.

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May 21, 1970

Dear Fellow-Member:

The next International Numismatic Congress, scheduled for September of 1973, will be held in New York and Washington under the auspices of the American Numismatic Society and the Smithsonian Institution. Since this will be the first such congress to meet in the United States, we are anxious that it be an outstanding and memorable occasion for all concerned.

The exact dates will be September 10-17. According to the tentative schedule, registrants will convene in New York for two days of papers. They will then go to Washington, with a luncheon stop in Baltimore to visit Evergreen House and see the Garrett Collection. In Washington the Smithsonian will arrange sessions for another three days. Time will be reserved in both cities for museums and other places of interest, and there will be an optional excursion at the end of the congress to some historic site in the Washington area.

If we are to have a maximum participation of younger scholars and of numismatists from Eastern Europe, we must provide some travel subsidies. The organizing committee recommends that \$250 in cash to cover living expenses in this country be given foreign participants unable to make the trip without financial help. A second major item in our budget will be the publication program. Following the practice of previous congresses, we plan to put out a survey in three volumes of the numismatic research which has appeared in print since the Copenhagen meeting of 1967. We shall also prepare a catalogue illustrating a special exhibit on the theme "The Coinage of the Americas," to be mounted by the Society and the Smithsonian.

The 1973 Congress will be an expensive one, due to the need for travel subsidies in addition to the usual costs of publication and administration. It will be a difficult one to finance. Unlike the international congresses of Europe, our meeting can count on no aid from government agencies but must rely on foundations, organizations and individual donors. It is estimated that at least \$50,000 will be required and this sum will not be adequate if prices rise drastically. Thus far we have received pledges of support from the American Council of Learned Societies, Evergreen House and members of Council, but there is still a substantial deficit. Any contributions that ANS members may wish to make to help us reach our goal will be tax-deductible and very greatly appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

Samuel R. Milbank
Samuel R. Milbank
President

These sheets of facts and figures on the forthcoming congress are intended as an aid to solicitation. All pertinent data have been included with the thought that the individual solicitor can make the appropriate selection.

INTERNATIONAL NUMISMATIC CONGRESS

Two years ago the International Numismatic Commission accepted the joint invitation of the American Numismatic Society and the Smithsonian Institution to hold its next international congress in New York and Washington from September 10 to September 17, 1973. Such congresses are normally scheduled every six years in various European cities. This will be the first time that one has been held in the United States. For many participants it will be a first trip to our country, a first opportunity to see our cultural and historic centers as well as our numismatic collections. We want to do everything possible to make the visit a unique and unforgettable experience.

According to the tentative schedule, registrants will convene in New York for two days of papers. They will then go to Washington, with a stop in Baltimore to see the Garrett Collection at Evergreen House. In Washington the Smithsonian will arrange sessions for another three days. Time will be reserved in both cities for museums and other places of interest, and at the conclusion of the congress there will be an optional excursion by subscription to some historic site in the Washington area.

Nearly 200 numismatists attended the Copenhagen Congress in 1967. Among them were scholars of international renown: Philip Grierson, Fellow of Gonville and Caius College, Cambridge, and Professor of Numismatics at the University of Brussels; Georges Le Rider, Chief Curator of the Cabinet des Médailles in Paris; Bucur Mitrea, Director of the Numismatic Division of the Institutul de Arheologie in Bucharest; Emanuela Nohejlová-Prátová, former head of the Numismatic Division of the National Museum in Prague; C. H. V. Sutherland, Fellow of Christ Church, Oxford, and Keeper of Coins at the Ashmolean Museum. In attendance, too, were many younger numismatists, giving papers on their work and discussing their theories and problems with the mature scholars present. Numismatists from the West and those from Eastern Europe and the Middle East met to exchange views and establish personal contacts of mutual benefit.

To insure a maximum participation of younger scholars and of numismatists from Eastern Europe and the Levant, we must provide travel subsidies for the 1973 Congress. The organizing committee feels that this can best be done by a cash grant of \$250 to cover living expenses and domestic transportation for foreign participants unable to make the trip without financial help. Scholars from countries with strict currency regulations will find it easier to arrange transatlantic transportation than to maintain themselves in the United States. Efforts will be made to arrange a charter flight but the fare will be paid by the individual.

One of the major items in the budget for the 1973 Congress will be its publication program. Each European congress has sponsored a survey of the numismatic research published since the last congress. Separate volumes, prepared by authorities in their respective fields, are devoted to ancient, medieval and Islamic, and modern coinages. For every numismatist these works are invaluable compilations, useful long after the congress has ended.

Another publication will be a catalogue illustrating a special exhibit of "The Coinage of the Americas." The section dealing with coins of the United States will be mounted by the Smithsonian Institution and that devoted to issues of the American colonies, Canada and Latin America will be prepared by the American Numismatic Society.

It is estimated that at least \$50,000 will be required to arrange a successful congress, comparable with those which have convened since 1950 in Paris, Rome and Copenhagen:

Subsistence for 80 participants at \$250 each	\$20,000
Publication of three volumes of research and a catalogue of the special exhibit	20,000
Administrative expenses, mounting of the exhibit, a limited amount of entertainment and transportation within New York and Washington	10,000

The American Council of Learned Societies has allocated up to \$20,000 for the expenses of the 1973 Congress. This is "seed money" from a revolving fund and partial repayment is expected. The funds, moreover, can be used only for travel subsidies and to a limited extent for operating costs. Not one dollar is currently available for publication. That is our pressing problem, for if we are to undertake the publication of numismatic research, we must start next spring to line up editors and contributors. To fail to provide this vital scholarly service, which all European congresses have sponsored, would be unthinkable.

Unlike the international congresses of Europe, which are supported in part at least by government agencies, the 1973 Congress in New York and Washington must depend on foundations, business concerns and individual donors. For foundations and interested individuals the value of the congress is self-evident; the stake of business in such an undertaking is less obvious but nonetheless valid. Our great banks, some of which maintain money museums of ancient and modern coins, have a natural link with the project; this might be demonstrated by a subsidy for the catalogue of an exhibit featuring coinages of the United States. Many publishing houses put out books on coins and related studies in archaeology, history and art history; these works will be noted in the survey of numismatic research. Every business concern is heavily involved with contemporary coinage and some have had the vision to invest a small share of their profits in humanistic enterprises. The programs of two recent international congresses, those of the Modern Language and Oriental Associations, carry lists of donors which include the names of such corporations as General Motors, IBM, and Standard Oil of New Jersey. No message could convey more clearly to the foreign visitor the true image of America in her unparalleled blending of material and cultural strength.